REMARKS

Reconsideration of this application, as amended, is respectfully requested.

The specification is being amended to obviate the informality objected to in the Office Action. No new matter is being added.

Claims 1-22 are pending and were allowed in the Office Action. Accordingly, a Notice of Allowance is respectfully solicited.

If there are any additional fees due in connection with this communication, please charge Deposit Account No. 19-3140.

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